§ 95.665

ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION
REQUIREMENTS FOR CB TRANSMITTERS

§95.665 [Reserved]

§95.667 CB transmitter power.

The dissipation rating of all the semiconductors or electron tubes which supply RF power to the antenna terminals of each CB transmitter must not exceed 10 W. For semiconductors, the dissipation rating is the greater of the collector or device dissipation value established by the manufacturer of the semiconductor. These values may be temperature de-rated by no more than 50 °C. For an electron tube, the dissipation rating is the Intermitent Commercial and Amateur Service plate dissipation value established by the manufacturer of the electron tube.

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§95.669 External controls.

- (a) Only the following external transmitter controls, connections or devices will normally be permitted in a CB transmitter:
- (1) Primary power connection. (Circuitry or devices such as rectifiers, transformers, or inverters which provide the nominal rated transmitter primary supply voltage may be used without voiding the transmitter certification.)
 - (2) Microphone connection.
 - (3) Antenna terminals.
- (4) Audio frequency power amplifier output connector and selector switch.
- (5) On-off switch for primary power to transmitter. This switch may be combined with receiver controls such as the receiver on-off switch and volume control.
- (6) Upper/lower sideband selector switch (for a transmitter that transmits emission type H3E, J3E or R3E).
- (7) Carrier level selector control (for a transmitter that transmits emission type H3E, J3E or R3E.) This control may be combined with the sideband selector switch.
- (8) Channel frequency selector switch.
 - (9) Transmit/receive selector switch.

- (10) Meter(s) and selector switch(es) for monitoring transmitter performance.
- (11) Pilot lamp(s) or meter(s) to indicate the presence of RF output power or that the transmitter control circuits are activated to transmit.
- (b) The FCC may authorize additional controls, connections or devices after considering the functions to be performed by such additions.

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§95.671 Serial number.

The serial number of each CB transmitter must be engraved on the transmitter chassis.

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§95.673 Copy of rules.

A copy of part 95, subpart D, of the FCC Rules, current at the time of packing of the transmitter, must be furnished with each CB transmitter marketed.

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APPENDIX 1 TO SUBPART E OF PART 95— GLOSSARY OF TERMS

The definitions used in this subpart E are: Authorized bandwidth. Maximum permissible bandwidth of a transmission.

Carrier power. Average TP during one unmodulated RF cycle.

- CB. Citizens Band Radio Service.
- CB transmitter. A transmitter that operates or is intended to operate at a station authorized in the CB.
- Channel frequencies. Reference frequencies from which the carrier frequency, suppressed or otherwise, may not deviate by more than the specified frequency tolerance.
- Crustal. Quartz piezo-electric element.
- Crystal controlled. Use of a crystal to establish the transmitted frequency.
- dB. Decibels.
- EIRP. Effective Isotropic Radiated Power. Antenna input power times gain for freespace or in-tissue measurement configurations required by MICS, expressed in watts, where the gain is referenced to an isotropic radiator.
- FCC. Federal Communications Commission.